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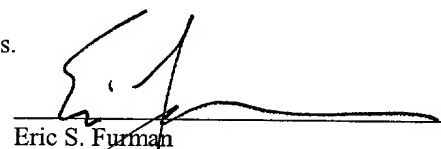
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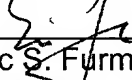
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Dear Sir:

The computer readable form in this application is identical with that filed in Application No. PCT/US00/17235, filed June 22, 2000, designating the United States of America and published in English. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e), please use the only-filed computer readable form filed in that application as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing is included in the originally-filed specification of the instant application. The content of the paper and computer readable copies are the same.

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